

TRMM Monthly Status Briefing

September 6th, 2000



FOT Overview

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Flight Operations Summary

- Supported 548 SN events in August
 - 1 Yaw Maneuver
 - 8 Delta-V Maneuvers
- 9 Event Rpts & 4 Generic Late Acq Rpts generated
 - ER #191: WSGT link problem; data dropouts
 - ER #192, 196, 198: MOC H/W; String 1 crash
 - ER #193: MOC H/W; pwr supply problem TR2WS1
 - ER #194: MOC H/W; FEP1 crash
 - ER #195: MOC S/W; directory deleted on Strings 1 & 2
 - ER #197: Bldg-32 UPS-2 power failure & TR2WS2 pwr supply
 - ER #199: SN Confirmed event taken (higher priority user)

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Flight Operations Summary

- Notable Events
 - B-32 UPS Power reconfiguration completed
 - System Software Rel 8.1 installed on String 2
 - Formats Rel8b5v1 installed on String 3 (TDRS-8 support)
- Staffing
 - Stable; training continues for new personnel
 - » Three Console Analyst certifications expected
 - » One Spacecraft Analyst certification expected



Flight Ops Summary

CSOC SPECIAL EVENTS FOR TRMM 2000													
_	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTALS
2	6	8	10	13	9	7	9	8					70
2a	1	1	2	1	1	1	2	1					10
2b	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					0
2c	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					0
3	2	1	0	1	2	2	2	2					12
3a	5	1	3	7	4	4	2	4					30
3b	3	1	2	4	4	3	3	6					26
3с	0	3	2	2	0	0	2	0					9
3d	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0					2
3e	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					0
3f	6	1	3	3	5	2	2	4					26
4	3	3	0	3	3	5	0	2					19
4a	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2					16
4b	1	2	2	1	2	1	1	2					12
4c	0	7	21	23	10	19	12	3					95
4d	11	0	4	1	4	2	4	1					27
4e	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					0
5	26	6	4	5	16	11	9	5					82
5a	0	0	4	0	1	4	2	0					11
5b	3	3	2	3	0	0	2	1					14
5c	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					0
8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					0
8a	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					0
TOT:	70	39	62	69	63	63	54	41	0	0	0	0	461
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	CSOC CATEGORIES	TRMM SUB-CATEGORIES AND EXAMPLES							
1	Targets of Opportunity	N/A							
2	S/C Maneuvers	DeltaVs (2) , 180° Yaw Maneuvers (2a) , 90° Yaws (2b) , Deep Space Cals (2c)							
3	Unplanned Events	Blind Acqs (3) , Patch Loads (3a) , Manual DS Ops - Blind Acqs, MI, H/W Problems (3b) , EPV Fail Ops (3c) ,							
		VIRS Reset Recoveries (3d), Anomaly Recoveries (3e), Generic Late Acqs - GCMRs and Manual DS Ops (3f)							
4	Customer Requests	PR (4) , VIRS (4a) , LIS (4b) , CERES (4c) , FSW (4d) , AETD (4e)							
5	Celestial Phenomena	VIRS Heater Ops (5) , Power Ops - Autospru, TSMs, C/D (5a) , UTCF / FS Ops (5b) , Leonids Ops (5c)							
6	Pre-Launch Testing	N/A							
7	L&IOC Operations	N/A							
8	EOL Operations	Delta-H Firings (8), Reentry Maneuvers (8a)							

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Thermal / Electrical Subsystems

- Thermal and Electrical subsystems remain nominal with no open issues
- FOT will assist AETD as needed for End Of Life Thermal Analysis
 - What is lowest attainable perigee which still meets thermal survivability constraints
 - What are the thermal constraints, if any, of long duration burns



ACS Subsystem

- Open CCRs (In order of Priority);
 - CCR #069: New tables 85 to match new TDRS-8 continuity limits for other TDRS, and another table 85 to widen the limits after an update failure.
 - CCR #070: New version of Table 61 to incrementally pitch the S/C while in SunAcq.
 - CCR #005: Correction for Magnetic Field Epoch, will be required for EOL if apogee is greater than 400 km.
 - CCR #065: Update ACS system tables in preparation for EOL activities.
 - » Table #73 (Thruster Parameters)
 - » Table #90 (Mode Configuration Data for Contingency)
 - CCR #053: ACS FS/W bug

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FDS/C&DH Subsystems

• UTCF Status;

- Adjustment was performed on 00-233 (Sunday, August 20, 2000)
- New UTCF value is 31535996.841021 sec
- Current FS value is x'7a2'

• Open CCRs;

- CCR #034: Writing from RAM to EEPROM for new TSM table #21 and RTSs # 2, 3, 13, 14, and 15. Completed, only need final documentation.
- CCR #047: Will work with FSW on no-clock software patch activities
- CCR #048: New on-board DS filter table to record ACE 8-Hz data
- CCR #071: Build a new DS quota table (73) to reallocate CERES science memory to other instruments, contingent on powering CERES off.

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RCS Subsystem

- RCS performed 8 successful Delta-V maneuvers (#215 #222)
- EOL worst case is **September**, **2003**, pending revised EOL scenario
 - Current fuel remaining is 536.8444 kg
- No Open RCS Anomaly or Event Reports
- Upcoming Events
 - None



Power Subsystem

- PSIB auto-SPRU operations
 - Currently, Auto-SPRU is disabled
 - Monitor system with Code 563 close to Beta $\pm 58^{\circ}$ (late November)

• No open issues



Deployables Subsystem

- -Y solar array drive temperature and behavior continues to be closely monitored
- Solar array drives and HGA continue to operate nominally
- No open issues other than to concentrate on array behavior and contingency training with all FOT members



RF Subsystem

- 4 Generic Late Acquisitions (#65, #66, #67, & #68)
- Frequency offset Transponder #1 = 690.322 Hz (average)
- Frequency offset Transponder #2 = -792.282 Hz (average)
- No open RF Anomaly or Event Reports
- Upcoming Events
 - Offset of transponder frequencies likely within 6 months



CERES Instrument

- Data Acquisition Processor (DAP) Telemetry Drop Out and Possible Failure (Anomaly #81)
 - Recovery to science collection is not likely, but Langley does NOT want to power it off.
- Open Issues
 - DAP Telemetry Drop Out (Anomaly #81)
- Issues on Hiatus
 - Continuous Biaxial operations
 - DR on MP ground system to incorporate new CERES requirements

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VIRS Instrument

- 2 Solar Calibrations were performed on 00-230 (Thursday August 17th, 2000)
- Blackbody temperature is now being maintained between 8 °C and 16 °C



LIS Instrument

- Routine MSFC real-time command requests performed on 00-217 and 00-234 (CR #416 and #417) to reduce packet sequence errors
- No open issues



TMI / PR Instruments

- No concerns or open issues for TMI
- PR Activities:
 - External Calibrations were performed on 08/02 and 08/03 (00/215 & 00/216) for bin angles 39 and 33 respectively.
- PR Open Issues
 - Frequency Agreement Renewal activities continue
 - » New interference was reported by NASDA in August which occurred during flyovers of Pakistan and Peru on 07/15 (00/197) and 07/25 (00/207) respectively
 - » The summary spreadsheet of PR Interference occurrences through April 2000 was delivered by NASDA in August

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Ground System

- MOC Power Configuration Complete Following August Power Outage
 - All String-3 Components are now on UPS-5
- Several Hardware Component Failures in August
 - Two HP Workstation Power Supplies (String-2)
 - One Tape Drive (String-1)
 - Two Monitors (String-1 and String-3)
- New Formats Installed and Operational on String-3 (TDRS-8 support)
- System Software Release 8.1 Fully Operational on Strings 2 and 3
- Hard Drive mounted on String-2 to support XTE MOC Failover Scenario

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Upcoming Activities

• 0-2 Months

- Ensure FOT training remains top priority
- System Software Release 8.1 implementation on String 1
- GITT Security Scan vulnerability implementation on Strings 1 and 3
- New FDF Product deliveries which will incorporate new TDRS-8 data
- Completion of TRMM/XTE MOC failover implementation
- New User Planning System (UPS) Release 13
- Continue to close open CCRs, MOCRs, ERs, ARs, and MSR Action Items

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Upcoming Activities

• 2-3 Months

- Begin testing and using the new TDRS-8
- Leonids Operations (11/2000)
- Leap Year Transition for DOY 366 No Leap Second Adjustment

• 3-12 Months

- Extended Mission Operations Begin (1/2001)
- Test, validate, and accept the new PACOR-A system
- Begin End Of Life Planning, Testing, and Simulations
- Commence DSN/GN FOT training
- Testing of new PTP hardware and software deliveries
- System Software Release 8.2 Delivery
- Transponder Offset Activities